

IN THE APPLICATION

On Page 1, between lines 14 and 15, please add the following "References to Related Applications" section to the application:

- - This application is a U.S. national phase application based on application No. PCT/GB03/01377 filed on October 9, 2003, which, in turn, claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/368,560. - -

Please replace the paragraph on page 2, lines 21-26 with the following amended paragraph:

- - In a first aspect of the invention, a multiport infusion device used as an intravenous administrator of prescribed fluid is provided. The device includes a band adapted to be secured to a user's body part near an intravenous therapy location. A multiport body having at least two ports is further provided. The multiport body is secured to the band and includes a multiport fluid exchange route or conduit fluidly communication between a first port and at least a second port.- -

Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 6-12 with the following amended paragraph:

- - In another aspect of the invention, the multiport infusion device includes a flexible band having a first end and a second end and adapted to be secured to a user's body part near an intravenous therapy location. A fastening device is positioned on the flexible band for fastening the flexible band to the user's body part. A main body has a three-way fluid exchange route or conduit, each route or conduit of the three way fluid exchange route or conduit has an opening port. the opening port has a sealing cap adapted to seal the port.- -

Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 14-21 with the following amended paragraph:

- - In embodiments of another aspect of the invention, the main body is raised from the flexible band allowing air circulation between a tube extending from one of the ports of the three-way fluid exchange route or conduit and the intravenous therapy location. The flexible band includes an adjustment mechanism including the fastening device. A plurality of adjustment holes along the flexible band may be provided for communicating with the fastening device. The flexible band may include means for preventing rotation of the band about the user when placed on the user.- -